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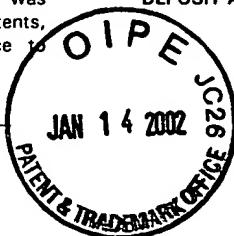
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Docket No.: 3272/1H629US2



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In re Application of: ASCENZI, Maria-Grazia

Serial No.: 09/981,684 / Art Unit: 1615

Confirmation No.: 6620

Filed: October 17, 2001 Examiner: TBA

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MODELING BONE STRUCTURE

Box PATENT APPLICATION
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COMPLETION OF PATENT APPLICATION

The following items are submitted herewith in completion of the above-identified patent application:

1. Declaration and power of attorney
2. Payment in the amount of \$ 435, (\$ 370 filing; \$ 0 recording; \$65 late)
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3. Drawings, sheets (Figs.)
4. Assignment for recording to:
5. Applicant claims small entity status.
PARTIAL REFUND of all fees paid within last 2 months is REQUESTED.
6. A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.

Priority is claimed for this application, corresponding application/s having been filed as follows:

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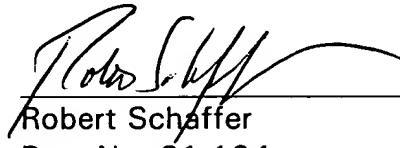
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 will follow.
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Respectfully submitted,

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PATENT FEE COMPUTATION SHEET

No. of Claims Presented	Extra Claims Previously Paid For	Number of Extra Claims	Rate
Basic Fee			\$740.00
Total Claims 5 - 20	- 0 = 0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims 1 - 3	- 0 = 0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	- if so, add	\$280.00	\$0.00
Surcharge for late submission of filing fee and/or declaration (\$130.00)			\$130.00
SUBTOTAL			\$870.00
[X] Small Entity REDUCTION (Half of Subtotal)			\$435.00
Fee for recordation of assignment (\$40.00)			\$0.00
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 435.**

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